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## **EXHIBIT 4**

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11	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
12 13	DISTRICT OF ARIZONA	
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15	Jason Fritch, an Arizona resident;	Case No. 4:21-cv-00509-JGZ-JR
16	Plaintiff,	
17	V.	DECLARATION OF JESSICA MILLER
18	Orion Manufactured Housing Specialists, Inc., an Arizona company;	
19	and L. James Miller, an Arizona resident;	(Assigned to the Hon. Jennifer G. Zipps)
20	Defendants.	
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23	1. I am counsel of record for Plaintiff Jason Fritch in the above-entitled action	
24	I have been involved in this case since I was re-hired by Weiler Law (formally Zoldan Lav	
25	Group) in February 2023.	
26	2. I submit this Declaration in	n support of Plaintiff's Motion for Award of
27	Attorneys' Fees.	
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	3. I have been a member in goo	d standing of the State Bar of Arizona for about

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nine and-a-half years, since being admitted to the bar in February 2014. During my entire tenure as a litigator my practice has been devoted to plaintiff's employment law, including wage and hour claims. I have litigated approximately one hundred lawsuits for employees during this time frame. The overwhelming majority of my cases are on a contingency or partial contingency basis.

- 4. I attended the University of Texas in Austin, Texas for undergrad from 2002-2006, and successfully earned my bachelor's degree in Government with a minor in the German language. In 2013, I graduated magna cum laude from Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law. While enrolled in law school, I won four CALI awards, I was a Committee Chair on the Arizona State Law Journal, and I was appointed a William Pedrick Scholar for every semester I attended ASU. I passed the Arizona bar in 2013 and was licensed to practice law in February 2014.
- 5. I began practicing employment law and have represented numerous employment litigation plaintiffs in both Superior Court and the Federal Court for the District of Arizona. I was licensed to practice in the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in March 2017.
- 6. I acted as co-counsel for this matter. As co-counsel, I was responsible for assisting in developing case strategy, making impactful decisions regarding the direction of the litigation, conduct research and draft motions.
- 7. I have not received any payment for accrued attorneys' fees or costs. Although the Plaintiff in this case was never obligated to pay an hourly rate, my hourly rate is \$400 per hour. This hourly rate is commensurate with my experience level, and is well within the standard hourly rates charged by other law firms in the Phoenix

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Metropolitan Area, particularly given the skill level and time commitment required to successfully litigate a FLSA lawsuit.

- 8. All attorneys at my firm maintain detailed daily time records on behalf of our clients. Such time is recorded in 1/10th of an hour increments. Each time record is maintained on the firm's computers, the firm's network, and then is backed-up online. All fee records are prepared contemporaneously with the time or expense that is being billed.
- 9. I have personally rendered all of the services reflected in the Billing Summaries under the initial "JM" (attached hereto as "Exhibit 5"). Those Billing Summaries reflect the date that the service was rendered; a description of the work actually performed; and the amount of time expended (in tenths of an hour).
- 10. As reflected in the summaries and **Exhibit 5**, my legal fees incurred in this case total 45.3 hours at \$400 per hour to equal \$18,120.
- 11. Some of the entries included in **Exhibit 5** contain general descriptions of the work performed and were prepared for the purpose of protecting attorney-client communications.
- 12. During the course of my firm's representation of Plaintiff, I have exercised billing judgment by striking items from this fee request that are duplicative, if any, or other time for which the firm would not expect to be compensated.
- 13. In light of the foregoing, I request that the Court award my attorneys' fees in the amount of \$18,120.
  - 14. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED August 1, 2023.

Case 4:21-cv-00509-JGZ-JR Document 94-4 Filed 08/01/23 Page 5 of 5 WEILER LAW PLLC By: <u>/s/ Jessica Miller</u> 505040<sup>th</sup> St., Suite 260 Phoenix, AZ 85018 Attorneys for Plaintiff WEILER LAW PLLC